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Congratulations to everyone involved in making the Ball such a wonderful success. It was a wonderful evening. The winter flu bugs are having an impact and we have included the information we have received from Public Health for Northland and the Ministry of Education.

Despite the dislocation we are still managing from the fire, our level of activity is still at full pace for the students.

STAFF CHANGES

It is with deep regret that I have accepted Mr Tim Rea's resignation from the Deputy Principal role at Kerikeri High School because Mr Rea has decided to refocus as a result of recent health issues. We are also very sorry to lose Mrs Liz Sugrue to Dargaville.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS...

- 📍 Kerikeri High School Girls A Squash Team of **Sarah Radford, Kate Shepherd and Renee Larmer** were placed second at the Northland Secondary Schools' Sports Association Squash Championships.
- 📍 The **Rintoul Civil Kerikeri High School 1st XI Football Team** had a very successful tour to the Cook Islands. They won 2 games against the Cook Islands Football Academy and lost one to Tereroa College. The team would like to thank all the people who supported them in the tour.

KERIKERI HIGH SCHOOL BALL

Special thanks to the Year 13 Dean, Miss Dana Boisen for all her hard work with a great Student Ball Committee and supported by many other staff during Ball preparations and clean up. A big thanks to all those parents who helped make the Ball a memorable occasion for the students. The Supper was plentiful and presented beautifully, gaining many positive and appreciative comments throughout the evening. Thanks to the many parents who worked in the background, making plates to supplement the supper. It is wonderful to have the support of so many parents to ensure such an important event for the students runs smoothly and successfully.

BALL PHOTOS



Ball photos will be on display in Art 7 until Tuesday 17th August. Students can view them during Interval or Lunchtime, while parents and caregivers are welcome after school hours. Order forms are available from Reception.

JAZZ BAND NEWS

As part of the Bay of Islands Jazz Festival, the Kerikeri High School Jazz Band will be playing at The Bay of Islands Comfort Inn at Te Haumi from 12.45-1.30pm on Saturday 14th August and at the Paihia Pacific Resort from 11-11.45am on Sunday 15th August. Tickets are available from The Sound Lounge, www.jazz-blues.co.nz or BOI I-site in Paihia. \$40 for 40 bands.

OUTDOOR PURSUITS CENTRE

The Sir Edmund Hilary Outdoor Pursuits Centre was recently the exciting temporary home for 20 Year 12 and 20 Year 10 students. As part of the 5 day course the students snowboarded, climbed, abseiled and tramped their way around the Tongariro National Park. Students found many opportunities to expand their comfort zones and develop their teamwork and leadership skills. Teachers Miss Douglas, Miss Jackson, Ms Bright and Mrs Wise really enjoyed sharing in these experiences with the students. Thank you to them.

SCIENCE FAIR

Students are busy preparing their projects for the Kerikeri High School Science Fair which will be held during Week 5. The Fair will be open for parents to view in the Auditorium at the following times:

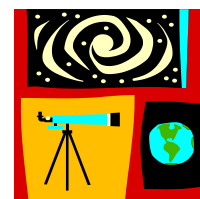
Years 7 & 8 Tuesday 17th

August 3.30 - 5.30pm

Year 9 Wednesday 19th August 3.30 - 5.30pm.

Any parents who are able to supervise the Fair on Wednesday 18th or Friday 20th August please contact Mrs Jackie Robertson on 407 8916. Your help would be appreciated.

The Regional Fair judging is to be held on 9th September with Prizegiving on Saturday 11th September.



DENTAL CARE

The Dental Bus have advised they will be visiting Kerikeri High School later this term. We will let you know dates as soon as they are available. All Year 9 students should have received a dental form but any students in Years 10 – 13 who are under 18 and not currently registered for free school dental care can collect a form from Reception.

MATHLETICS

Letters were recently sent home with Year 7 & 8 students regarding a web-based Mathematics learning programme called Mathletics. Registration until February 2011 is available through Kerikeri High School for \$15 (normally \$100). You can check out the Website at www.mathletics.co.nz.

WHAT IF SOMETHING GOES WRONG?

PLEASE get in touch with us immediately if you are concerned in any way about something that has happened. The following people would like to help you:

Your child's Form Teacher

Dean of Year 7	Miss Tania Crene
Dean of Year 8	Miss Kate Crawford
Dean of Year 9	Mrs Erica Collins
Dean of Year 10	Mrs Emma Wise
Dean of Year 11	Mrs Jane Jarman
Dean of Year 12	Mrs Maria Halliday
Dean of Year 13	Miss Dana Boisen
Guidance Counsellors	Mr Dan Munro Mrs Gill Luke Mr Stuart Angus
School Chaplain	Mr Stuart Angus

Deputy Principals

Mr Mike Clent Years 7, 9 & 13
Mr Daniel Wise Year 8 (Acting)
Mrs Judy Cleaver Years 10 & 12
Mrs Glenys Ross Year 11

Principal

Mrs Elizabeth Forgie

SOME REMINDERS

- Visitors to the school must report to Reception before visiting other areas in the school.
- We have had some incidences of cars parked across the crosswalk outside school. Please take care on the road when delivering or collecting students.

AME WORKBOOKS

AME Write In Workbooks are available in most examination subjects and can be ordered from Reception. They cost \$17 each and are excellent revision tools for NCEA classes.

NZQA FEES

A reminder that the \$75 NZQA fee is to be paid by 1st September. You may qualify for Financial Assistance. Information was sent out about this earlier in the year but if you require further information urgently contact Mrs Glenys Ross.

BOOK CLUB

There is a Book Club meeting every fortnight in the Library. All students are welcome. Please see Mrs Smith in the Library for more details.

Principal:

Deputy Principals:

Reception:

Deans' Centre:

Guidance Counsellors:

Board of Trustees Chairperson:

Parent Teachers Assoc:

Website:

Contact Us:

Mrs Elizabeth Forgie

Mrs Judy Cleaver, Mr Mike Clent, Mrs Glenys Ross, Mr Daniel Wise (Acting)

Jolanda, Amanda, Sue, Barbara

Joanne, Faye

Mr Dan Munro, Mrs Gill Luke

Mr Rick Palmer

Dr Nigel Cane 407 5352, Mrs Kartini Martin 407 6889

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WHAT'S HAPPENING

- **Bay of Islands Jazz Festival** Saturday 14th & Sunday 15th August

- **Kerikeri High School Speech Competition**

Finals Monday 16th August in the Auditorium.

Parents and Caregivers are very welcome.

Year 11	Period 2	9am - 10am
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Year 10	Period 3	10am - 11am
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Year 8	Period 4	11.15 - 12.15
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Year 9	Period 5	12.15 - 1.15pm
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Year 7	Period 6	2pm - 3pm
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The Year 12 and 13 Finals will be held at 7.30pm.

- **Ten Pin Bowling for LEC students** Tuesday 17th August
- **ICAS Mathematics Competition** Tuesday 17th August
- **Kerikeri High School Science Fair** Tuesday 17th – Friday 20th August
- **Victoria University visit** Tuesday 17th August
- **Year 9 Inter-form Netball Championship** Tuesday 17th August
- **Northland Secondary Schools' Sports Association Senior Netball** Wednesday 18th August
- **Year 8 Winter Sports Festival** Wednesday 18th August
- **PTA Meeting** 7.30pm Wednesday 18th August
- **Northland Secondary Schools' Sports Association Senior Boys' Basketball Championships** Thursday 19th August
- **Year 7 Winter Sports Festival** Thursday 19th August

We are not having the easiest time just now with the amount of sickness for our staff and students. We are doing our best to ensure that the academic programme for our students is affected as little as possible and appreciate the support and understanding from our students, staff and parents during some longer periods of absence due to sickness than usual.

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